

Feb. 28, 1980

Gertrude Donahue, 98

Funeral services for Salem Lutheran Home resident Gertrude Donahue, 98, were held Wed., Feb. 27 at Pauley Funeral Home, Harlan, with burial in the Onawa (Ia.) Cemetery.

She died Sunday at the Elk Horn Home, where she had resided since 1977.

Surviving are three daughters — Marie Parent of Harlan, Goldie Roth of Downey, Calif., and Mabel (Mrs. Ray) Barnett, Harlan; one son, James Fymbo, Harlan; one sister, Mabel Hunter of Yuma, Colo.; four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Donahue operated the Harlan Cafe from 1929-1945. She and her husband earlier had farmed in Monona county, and operated the Onawa Cafe before moving to Harlan.